

Lyme-East Thetford Bridge 14460 Rehabilitation Project



Work is in full swing on the rehabilitation of the Lyme-East Thetford bridge. The bridge closure went into effect on Thursday, April 27, with signed detour routes in place for motorists. To learn more about what is planned for the coming month, please read on!

What to Expect this Month

At this stage, the project is focused on painting of the bridge structures. The painting contractor is on-site and is placing tarps over half of the bridge to establish a contamination site to facilitate the safe removal of the lead bearing paint that is currently on the bridge. Crews will be sandblasting the structure, which will cause noise in the project area. Once crews finish the first half of the bridge, they will move the tarps to the other side. The entire painting process is estimated to take up to six weeks.

Crews have also installed a floating dock system, which will be used in the coming weeks to begin working on the pier.



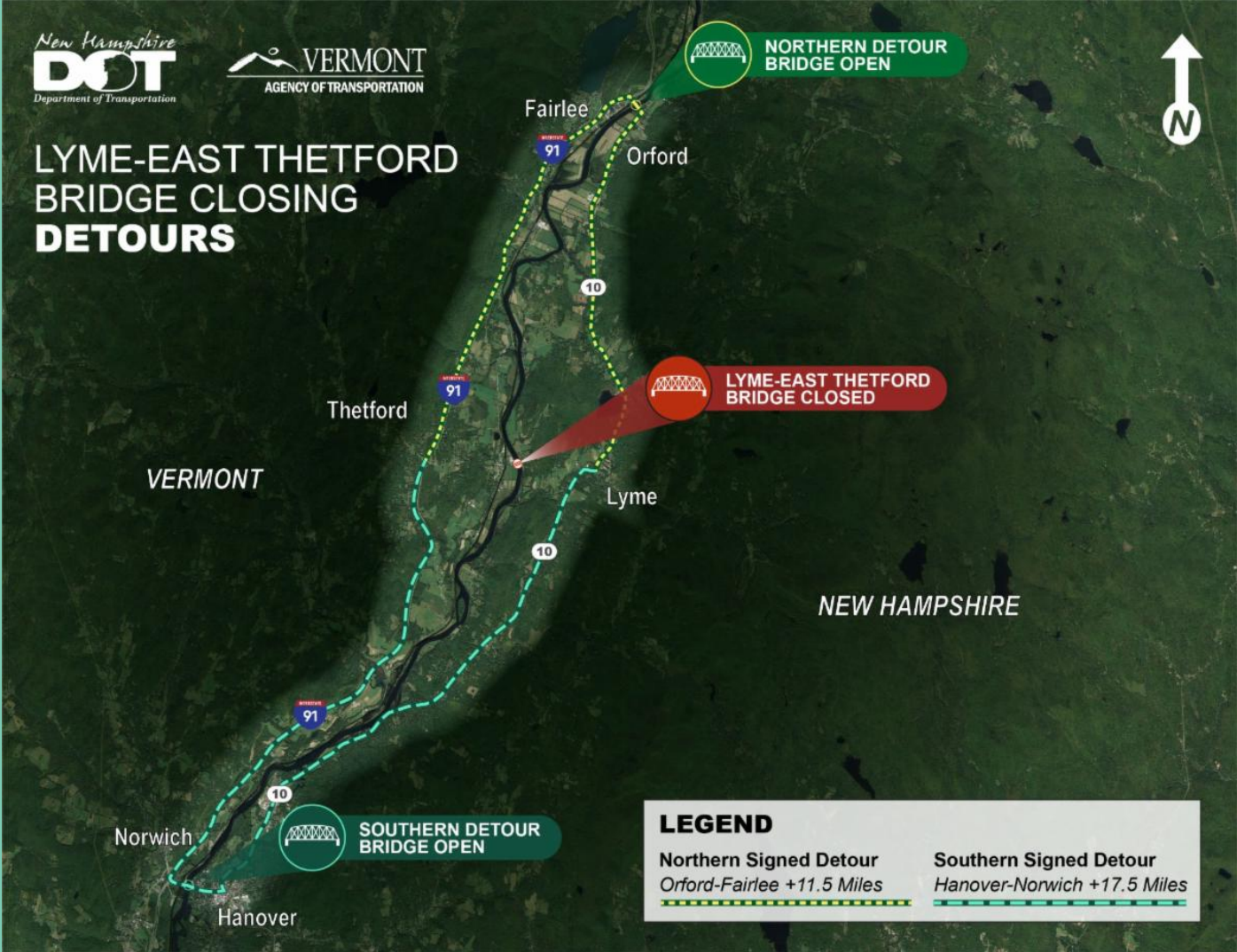
Detour Reminder

Throughout the 18-month Lyme-East Thetford bridge closure, there will be two NHDOT signed detour routes in place. A detour route to the north, takes vehicles along NH Route 10 then crosses the Connecticut River between Orford, NH and Fairlee, VT and continues along Interstate 91 south in Vermont. The other detour route to the south, takes vehicles along NH Route 10 then crosses the Connecticut River between Hanover, NH and Norwich, VT and continues along Interstate 91 north in Vermont.

Businesses on either side of the bridge remain open for business!



LYME-EAST THETFORD BRIDGE CLOSING DETOURS



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